# NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION Office of Vehicle Safety Compliance COMPLIANCE STATUS REPORT REPORT DATE: August 15, 2007

The following definitions are essential to the interpretation of the report:

#### INVESTIGATIONS —

CT (Compliance Test) — Investigations initiated based on the results of scheduled compliance test programs.

CI Number — OVSC Compliance Investigation Number (such as "CI-208-020320")

The CI number identifies FMVSS 208 with a test failure date of March 20, 2002. A compliance investigation is established when there is a <u>reasonable expectation</u> that a noncompliance may exist.

PE Number — OVSC Preliminary Evaluation Number (such as "PE-214-020320")

The PE number identifies FMVSS 214 with a test failure date, inspection date, complaint date, etc., of March 20, 2002. A preliminary evaluation action is taken to gather additional information in cases where there is only a <u>possibility</u> of a noncompliance.

The following types of investigations initiated as a result of information obtained from sources other than scheduled compliance test programs such as consumer complaints, industry disclosures, articles in the news media, etc:

IN (Inspection) CP (Complaint) MD (Manufacturer Defect)

ID (Part 574) MI (Manufacturer Inquiry)

#### **COMPLIANCE TESTING —**

TEST PROGRAM — Tests conducted in accordance with scheduled compliance test programs

RETEST — Retesting of items that have initially failed during a scheduled compliance test program

RESPONSIVE — Not a part of a scheduled compliance test program but consists of special testing, consumer complaint testing, etc.

#### **COMPLIANCE TESTING LEGEND —**

The following identifiers are used:

STD - Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) or Regulation (i.e., Part 575, Part 567)

LAB - Testing laboratory under contract to OVSC

**GRP** - Test report group number. The following identifiers are found in the last character of the GRP number for those tests other than SCHEDULED compliance tests: R – Retest, T - Response test

SPECIAL CASES: FMVSS 109 - S=Test Program, R=Retest, C=Responsive FMVSS 119 - A=Test Program, B=Retest, C=Responsive

US MFR/US DISTRIBUTOR - Manufacturer or distributor of motor vehicle or equipment item

MAKE - Make of motor vehicle or equipment item

**MODEL** - Information for motor vehicle or equipment item

STYLE/COMPONENT - Information for motor vehicle or equipment item

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER - Tire identification number

MY - Motor vehicle model year

HS NO. - Test report number used by the NHTSA Technical Information Services for identification purposes

**RESULT** - Test results (PASS or FAIL)

FAIL - P: performance failure FAIL - I: inspection failure

FAIL - L: labeling or instruction failure

## REPORTS ACCEPTED DURING JULY 2007 FOR FY 2007 TEST PROGRAM

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	LAB/	MFR/	MY/MAKE/	RESULT/
STD	GRP	DISTRIB	MODEL/STYLE	HS NO.
108	CAN	GENERA	2006 TYC	FAIL-P <sup>1</sup>
	004		NISSAN ALTIMA	638945
108	CAN	FORD	2006 FORD	FAIL-P <sup>2</sup>
	005		F150	638976
108	CAN	GENERA	2006 TYC	FAIL-P <sup>3</sup>
	006		FORD F150	638977
108	CAN	SONAR	2006 SPYDER	FAIL-P⁴
	007		FORD F150	638979
108	CAN	EAGLE EYES	2006 EAGLE EYES	FAIL-P <sup>5</sup>
	800		FORD F150	638978
108	CAN	NISSAN	2007 VALEO	FAIL-P <sup>6</sup>
	009		SYLVANIA NISSAN ALTIMA	638987
108	CAN	GMC	2007 GMC	FAIL-P <sup>7</sup>
	010		CADILLAC ESCALADE	638988
110	MGA	US BUS	2006 US BUS	FAIL-P <sup>8</sup>
	004	MANUFACTURE	STURDIBUS SCHOOL BUS	638967
120	MGA	IC CORP.	2007 IC	PASS
	003		BE200 SCHOOL BUS	638966
120	MGA	MID BUS INC.	2006 MID BUS	PASS
	005		GUIDE DW SCHOOL BUS	638969
121	LEC	KENWORTH TRUCK	2005 KENWORTH	PASS
	002		T800 REFUSE HAU HEAVY TRUCK	638989
121	TRC	MACK TRUCKS	2007 MACK	PASS
	007		TEBCO TG TRUCK	638975
209	DTB	DAIMLER/	2007 CHRYSLER	PASS
	003	CHRYSLER	SEBRING SEDAN DRIVER SEAT BEL	638956
209	DTB	DAIMLER/	2007 DODGE	PASS
	004	CHRYSLER	CALIBER DRIVER SEAT BEL	638957
209	DTB	DAIMLER/	2007 DODGE	FAIL-L <sup>9</sup>
	005	CHRYSLER	NITRO FRONT RH SEAT B	638958
209	DTB	GMC	2007 CHEVROLET	PASS
	010		SUBURBAN SEAT BELT ASSY.	638959
209	DTB	GMC	2007 CHEVROLET	PASS
	011		AVALANCHE SEAT BELT ASSY.	638960
209	DTB	AMSAFE	2007 AMSAFE	PASS
	020	COMMERCIAL	I-1771 TYPE I SEAT BELT ASSY.	638986

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review.

<sup>3</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review.

<sup>4</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review. <sup>7</sup> Photometry failures upper and lower beam, under review.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Placard location and information, under review.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Labeling, Closed by NHTSA-no further action required.

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209	UST	BEAM'S	2007 BEAM'S	FAIL-P <sup>10</sup>
	021	INDUSTRIES	LAP BELT SEAT BELT ASSY.	638968
213	UST	ANGEL GUARD	2007 ANGEL GUARD	FAIL-P <sup>11</sup>
	001		ANGEL RIDE CHILD RESTRAINT	638954
213	UST	CHICCO USA	2007 CHICCO	PASS
	012		USA KEYFIT CHILD RESTRAINT	638955
213	UST	COMPASS	2007 COMPASS	PASS
	015		I420 INFANT CHILD RESTRAINT	638952
213	UST	COMPASS	2007 COMPASS	PASS
	016		I410 INFANT CHILD RESTRAINT	638953
218	SRI	DAYTONA	2007 DAYTONA	PASS
	005	HELMETS	HELMETS PARTIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638985
218	UST	HD	2007 VEGA	PASS
	800	POWERSPORTS	SUMMIT II COMP. FACIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638971
218	UST	SHANGHAI	2007 V-CAN	PASS
	009	HEHUI	V530 PARTIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638972
218	UST	KBC HELMET	2007 KBC	PASS
	010		VR-2 COMP. FACIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638973
218	UST	AKUMA	2007 AKUMA	FAIL-L <sup>12</sup>
	011		F-14 COMP. FACIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638974
218	UST	P TECHNOLOGY	2007 CABERG HELMETS	PASS
	012	SR	104 COMP. FACIAL MOTORCYCLE HELMETS	638990
221	MGA	THOMAS BUILT	2007 THOMAS	PASS
	001	BUS	C2 SCHOOL BUS	638951
301	MGA	MID BUS INC	2006 MID BUS	PASS
	003		GUIDE DW SCHOOL BUS	638965
301	MGA	TOYOTA	2007 TOYOTA	PASS
	003		PRIUS 4-DOOR SEDAN	638921
305	MGA	TOYOTA	2007 TOYOTA	PASS
	003		PRIUS 4-DOOR SEDAN	638970

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup>Tilt lock failures; Recall #07E056.
 <sup>11</sup> Marginal resistance to light failures 58.4%, Closed by NHTSA.
 <sup>12</sup> Labeling, Closed by NHTSA-no further action required.

# COMPLIANCE INVESTIGATIONS (CIs) IN PROGRESS THROUGH JULY 2007 (CI NUMBER SYSTEM EXAMPLE: "CI-208-051220" FOR FMVSS 208 WITH A TEST FAILURE DATE OF DECEMBER 20, 2006)

NONE

**CIS OPENED SINCE LAST REPORT** 

**NONE** 

**CIS CLOSED SINCE LAST REPORT** 

NONE

CAUSE:

PE Petition
CT Compliance Test
IN Inspection
CP Complaint
ID Part 574
MI Mfgr. Inquiry
MD Mfgr. Defect

# PRELIMINARY EVALUATION INVESTIGATIONS (PEs) IN PROGRESS THROUGH JULY 2007 (PE NUMBER SYSTEM EXAMPLE: "PE-208-051220" FOR FMVSS 208 WITH A TEST FAILURE DATE OF DECEMBER 20, 2006)

PE NO.	MFR/MY/MAKE/MODEL/FAILURE	CAUSE
PE-301-070328	Thomas Built Buses/2007 Thomas C2/Solv spill-30mph mov contour barr exc 1OZ/1min-next 25 min	CT
PE-222-070329	US Bus Manufacturing/2007 US Bus/Sturdibus/Under 10,000 pounds	СТ

### PES OPENED SINCE LAST REPORT

### **NONE**

## PES CLOSED SINCE LAST REPORT

PE NO.	MFR/MY/MAKE/MODEL/FAILURE
PE-222-070222	Mid Bus Inc./2007 Mid Bus Guide DW/ Restraining barrier did not meet
	requirements/ Closed by NHTSA 5/18/2007

## CAUSE:

PE Petition CT Compliance Test IN Inspection CP Complaint ID Part 574 MI Mfgr. Inquiry MD Mfgr. Defect